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ORR Recognizes Star Athletes

By Laura Fedak Pedulli

The passage of 47 years has not clouded the memories of the Old Rochester Regional High School Class of 1965 football team. The undefeated champions only had 16 points scored against them the entire season – and even today team players can recall individual plays, names of adversaries, and game scores with no hesitation.

“I remember it as clear as a bell,” said Steve Heath – a freshman player on the team – of the championship game against Falmouth. “The crowd was five to six feet deep around the perimeter. There were at least 3,000 people there.”

John Guilherme, another freshman player at the time, recalled the outstanding defense of the team. In a game against Dighton-Rehoboth, 380-lb. Hudson Bowley made it all the way to the one-yard line but ORR defenders blocked him from reaching to the end zone.



Above: Tricia Bradley Seymour and Jeffrey Pina were two of the alumni who were inducted into the ORR Hall of Fame on June 10th. Photo by Felix Perez

On the Cover: A busy start to summer as the TriTown sees a flurry of activity this past weekend including: (top photo) The Class of 2012 graduated from ORRHS, making them the 50th class in the school’s history. Photo by Katy Fitzpatrick. (center photo) TriTown Relay for Life held on Friday & Saturday. Photo by Felix Perez (bottom photo) The ORR Sports Hall of Fame induction held on Saturday, in this photo Margaret Liljedahl Dixon, Bob Hohne, and Bill Tilden. Photo by Felix Perez

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“Four times he tried to score, but they all tackled this guy. He never gained an inch,” Guilherme recalled.

That season running back Francis Cabral scored a 96-yard touchdown on the first play of a game against Dartmouth – and it was only this year that this record was broken by D.J. MacDonald, according to Guilherme.

These memories resurfaced when the ORR reunited and honored the team as part of its second annual Old Rochester Athletic Hall of Fame.

Last weekend, Old Rochester inducted the football team into the Hall of Fame, as well as athletes Jeffrey Pina, Tricia Bradley, Margaret Liljedahl and Joao Rodriquez

According to Athletic Director Bill Tilden, more than 150 people turned out for the Hall of Fame induction ceremony and dinner on Saturday, June 9.

“We’ve been ecstatic,” said Tilden of the event’s increasing support.

“It’s growing in popularity, people recognize [the Hall of Fame] more. For everything you start new, it takes times to build interest,” said ORR coach Bob Hohne, who helped organize the event.

On Sunday, June 10 – Hall of Fame supporters as well as some of the undefeated champions of 1965 – played golf at the second annual Old Rochester Athletic Hall of Fame Golf Tournament at the Acushnet River Valley Golf Course.

Guilherme, Heath and Cabral all attended, and shared football stories of old glory days.

“It’s a fantastic group. They talk about each game like it was yesterday,” said Tilden.

Hohne said he expects the Hall of Fame tradition to continue to flourish, especially now that part of ORR

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Athletic Director's official duties is chairing the Hall of Fame committee.

"It is included in the job description, hopefully that will help it continue," he said. "Hopefully we are planting a seed."

He said with so many esteemed athletes in ORR's 50-year history, it'll take time to acknowledge them over the next few years. "We tell people, 'we'll get there, we'll get there,'" when asked to acknowledge a specific athlete.

Proceeds from the golf tournament help fund the event, as well as the Legacy Fund, which supports athletes of today.

"We are looking forward to the future while recognizing the past," Hohne said.

ORR Hosts Annual Relay For Life

By Eric Tripoli

Residents of the Tri-Town were invited to participate in the annual American Cancer Society Relay For Life at the ORRHS track, from Friday, June 8 to Saturday, June 9. The popular fundraiser for cancer research attracted over 100 local people, organized into several teams that walked the track from Friday afternoon to Saturday morning.

"It's supposed to signify someone going through treatment," said Heather M. Ruel. She is the chair of the relay and a breast cancer survivor, who was diagnosed when she was 38 years old.

The idea is that you start off with a great amount of energy and enthusiasm, similar to many cancer patients upon beginning treatment, but as you walk laps all night, you begin to feel tired and sore, but must keep on the journey, remaining resolute in the face of the hardship.

Among the teams was one comprised of members of the Mattapoissett Firefighters Association, who also

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"Last year we lost a member to cancer, and we have another member now who is now a survivor," said Mattapoissett Firefighters Association president Jordan Collyer. "It's touched every body on our team. We started trying to figure out everybody we knew who had had cancer and we stopped counting at a certain point."

There was plenty to do for those who were there in support but not walking the track. The Relay for Life had a DJ, offered face painting, and had someone performing reiki massage. Camping tents were scattered around the center grass of the track, for those participants



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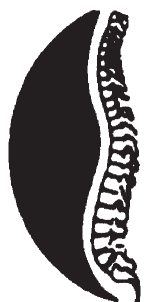
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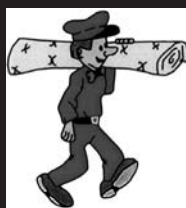
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who may need a power nap here and there. On one end of the turf, several kids threw a Frisbee and played catch.

On another part of the field was the home tent of Team "Close the Book on Cancer." Former Sippican School librarian Marie Pimental was the head of that team.

"[Our team] is a group of educators from the district. Many of us are survivors. I, myself, was diagnosed with ovarian cancer 16 years ago. On our team of 18, seven of us are survivors. We have been very involved in fundraising for the last 16 years, knowing how critical it is to amass funds for research. And that's the reason why we're here," she said.

The Relay For Life is the American Cancer Society's single biggest fundraiser and has always been a success in the Tri-Town. Last year, they raised \$83,535, exceeding their goal of \$67,000. About eighty-four cents of every dollar raised goes directly to fund cutting edge cancer research.

Seniors Recognized At Awards Night

By Eric Tripoli

Hundreds of parents and friends turned out to recognize the Old Rochester Regional High School Class of 2012 on Thursday, June 7, in the ORR gymnasium. The senior class was presented with scores of awards and accolades for academics, citizenship, athleticism, and art.

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The Class of 2012, dressed in their red and white caps and gowns, celebrated their countless accomplishments with several prominent members of the Tri-Town community, including representatives from the School Committee and Marion Fire Department' the latter gave out two \$600 awards near the end of the ceremony.

Principal Mike Devoll, during his opening remarks, commented on how much of a positive impact this class has had on the ORR community. He said he hoped that they would continue making waves in their endeavors after high school. The chances of this happening are pretty high. The Class of 2012 takes with it more than 100 decorated athletes, over 60 actors, and almost 50 members of the National Honor Society into the bigger world, whether the students have decided to attend college or join the work force.

For the faculty and administration, nights like these are bittersweet. After four years of education and guidance, they now must turn yet another class of young adult students out into the world, hoping that they have equipped them with the tools needed to make it.



"It makes you proud because they are going to be successful," said Assistant Principal Michael Parker after the ceremony. "Some are going on to do great things, and they're all really good people. That's what we try to do for them while they're here."

Massachusetts Representative, Mattapoisett resident, and ORR grad dad, William Straus also took the



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podium to deliver a message to the seniors.

"Though you are young and have so much to accomplish ahead, you've already accomplished a lot," he told them. Straus also read an official citation of praise and thanks to the graduating students from the Massachusetts House of Representatives.

Devoll and Parker handed out most of the academic awards, from excellence in Latin to exceptional ability in high-level chemistry. ORR Athletic Director Bill Tilden presented awards and praise upon the athletes of the class, including the Athletic Booster Club senior plaques. Drama Club Director Paul Sardinha was on hand to award the outstanding thespians in the school.

After the ceremony, the students gathered with

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their families out in the lobby near the auditorium, for
photos, stories, thanks, and some tears.

"It's really nice to have all my work be honored.
I loved sharing the experience of being up there with my
friends. I'm so proud of them. A night like this makes me
feel ready for my future," said outgoing senior Rachael
Reints of Rochester. Reints received a number of awards
and will be attending Endicott College in the fall for
business.

On Friday morning, at 9:15 am, the school will
be holding another ceremony, followed by a cookout on
the athletic fields. All parents and friends are invited to
attend and celebrate with the graduating seniors.

ORRHS Graduates 50th Class

By Katy Fitzpatrick

On Saturday, June 9, 182 students clad in gowns
of red and white marched onto the football field at Old
Rochester Regional High School, becoming the 50th class
to graduate from the school since it opened its doors in
1962. Proud families, friends, faculty and staff looked on
from the bleachers.

"This has been an amazing 50-year odyssey that
is culminating today," said ORR Superintendent Doug
White. "

White's speech offered advice from both Richard
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"I've been very impressed by the level of your achievements in academics, athletics and the arts," he said. "Push yourself to the limits. A successful person is focused on the goal."

Principal Michael Devoll, referring to the school as the "true civic center of the Tri-Town," used a "scandal" that happened earlier in the year as the inspiration for his speech.

According to Devoll, an incident occurred at this year's pep rally in October, when Tyler Fields and Conor Maloney went to lead the students in a traditional cheer. The cheer, which usually begins, "We are," with the students chanting "ORR" after, was changed and phrased in the form of a question.

"Who are we?" asked Fields and Maloney. The student body was unable to answer, causing Devoll to panic over whether or not the students were having an identity crisis.

In order to answer Maloney and Field's question, Devoll took graduation as the perfect opportunity to highlight whom the class of 2012 encompasses. From athletes to actors, to students from different countries and different towns, Devoll left no stone unturned in showing the audience who the students of ORRHS are, highlighting all of their achievements.

Salutatorian Megan Leigh Merlo introduced David Patrick Friedman, the class of 2012's valedictorian.

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Friedman, a stand out student and athlete, looked to the movie *Forrest Gump* for his speech. Friedman said it was Gump's character and inability to judge that made him as successful as he was.

The students were called up one-by-one by Assistant Principal Michael Parker to receive their diplomas. After the last degree was received, the students formed a large circle for the traditional cap throwing. Maloney and Field stood in the center one last time to ask their question, and they finally got the answer they were looking for.

"ORR," chanted the Class of 2012 one last time before parting ways.

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By Anne Smith

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Two graduates of Old Rochester Regional High School, Emily Bungert and Robert Muller, are part of the intern team which maintains the Challenge website, acts as a liaison to local town administrators and manages public relations for the non-profit's initiative.

Muller, who has since graduated from UMass Dartmouth after studying business with a concentration in sustainability, specializes in the Challenge's field of solar energy. Bungert, who currently attends Bowdoin College as a neuroscience major, specializes in the Challenge's business referral programs.

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organizations we push the environmental stuff," she said.

One of her fellow interns, Charissa Amaral, believes in the necessity of non-profit organizations such as SEEAL to effect necessary lifestyle, and ultimately environmental, change.

"We're all sort of lazy," Amaral said. "It's easier to get people to do something if they have information."

That's where the Southcoast Energy Challenge assists households.

"We have a lot of tips on how to conserve energy and save money," Bungert said. Additionally, there is information about greener jobs in the South Coast.

"[The tips] are called actions," Amaral explicated.

Members of the website can select actions which they wish to accomplish, have accomplished, or are working to accomplish. Some actions are as large as having a solar panel home assessment, while others are as small as reducing shower time. The interns stressed that members of the website are not bound by the actions; they can choose at any time to stop participating in the Challenge. In fact, Amaral said, home assessments may be



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In addition to the resources (including links to partners of the Challenge and SEEAL), the website contains a blog with additional tips.

It is difficult for the interns and SEEAL to keep track of their short-term goals because household energy savings are hard for them to quantify.

"We are abstract," Bungert said of the nature of the Challenge. "Once people join the website, we can track who's involved."

Largely, the Challenge depends on the efforts of its interns. As intern Jeff Heeks said, the Challenge uses the philosophy of "educate the children; the children are the future." he entire team agreed that our society genuinely cares about the planet and wants to preserve it for posterity, but depends upon accessible information.

"If I don't see an advertisement then I don't know it's there or won't do it," Heeks said.

Bungert, Muller, and their fellow interns encourage the Tri-Town community to take up the Southcoast Energy Challenge, thereby helping both our environment and our wallets.

By The Beautiful Sea

By Eric Tripoli

The beauty of the Tri-Town is, in a word, idyllic. In Rochester, cranberry bogs of deep burgundy pave the landscape as you drive down the country roads. The forests of Marion are lush and pristine, home to endless walking trails and the constant accompaniment of countless birds.

The waterfront of Mattapoisett is by far one of the most popular spots for the people of the area to congregate. The centerpiece of it all is Shipyard Park, located across the street from the village, near the boat

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docks. It's a place where families bring their kids for a hot dog, where people cast their fishing lines into the deep sapphire sea, or where folks from out of town stop, just to admire the view.

"We went to a car show up in Plymouth, and we're just taking our time getting back," said Fall River resident Charles Jacobson.

He and his wife, Gloria, parked their 1928 Ford Phaeton near the docks on Sunday afternoon on their return journey home. The Phaeton is a four-door convertible. "And it's name is Grunt," he said.

"We love coming here because the harbor is just so beautiful," said Gloria.

The Jacobsons' picked a great day for a jaunt



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through the countryside. The air was warm, the breeze firm and brisk, with clear blue skies, out-matched only by the rolling ocean, peppered with boats of every sort.

Alan and Gale Hudson, of Mattapoisett, had spent much of their day aboard their 30-foot catboat, the *Summer Gale*, performing maintenance.

"With a sailboat, it's not about the destination, it's about the trip. But having a nice destination at the end isn't bad, either," said Alan.

They spend the colder months of the year down in Florida.

"But he always talks about how nice it will be to get back to Mattapoisett when we're down there," said Gale.

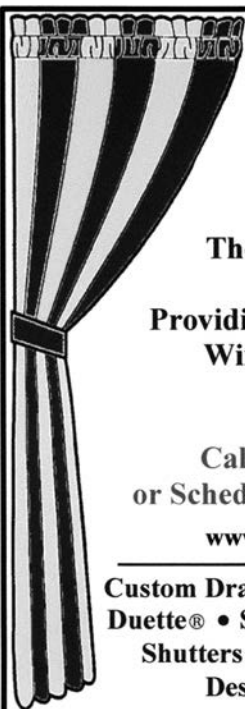
"I've done a lot of traveling and I've never found a place on the east coast as pretty as Mattapoisett," he said.

Back on land, at the gazebo, young children were running around with seemingly boundless energy. Local arborist Andrew Joseph, brought his kids out for a day of simple fun.

"It was a nice day. We are going to fly kites at the lighthouse, but decided to stop for ice cream first," he said as his two-year-old daughter, Zoe, played nearby.

Joseph has been a resident of Mattapoisett for 15 years.

"I like the atmosphere and the people. It's a good place to own a business and it's real easy once you get to



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know everybody. And it's nice being down by the water."

Shipyard Park will begin its summer band concert series on July 11, 2012. Each Wednesday, at 7:30 pm, the public can come and enjoy an evening of free music by the water. This year's annual Harbor Days celebration will be held at Shipyard Park July 20-22, 2012.

Shining Tides Preschool Holds Graduation

By Deb Burdock

The Shining Tides Preschool Graduation was held on Thursday evening, June 7 at the Mattapoisett YMCA, which overlooks the scenic seaside beach and harbor.

"We are proud to host the 2012 Preschool Graduation after a great year. The kids have been awesome," said YMCA Child Care Director Tricia Weaver.

The Graduation Ceremony and an Ice Cream Social followed a slide show presentation and Preschooler Music Performance.

Smiling, playful children captured everyone's attention as cameras flashed and videos filmed this special event. The students decorated their own graduation caps with an array of colorful pom-poms, stickers, drawings and sparkles.

Parents and loved ones watched in amazement as each small child walked up to receive a diploma.

"This was very emotional for me, especially the slide show. It has been a wonderful experience and my son Logan is now ready to go on to kindergarten next



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year," said Tracey Maher, a proud mother of a graduate.

Teacher Liz Mulroy smiled as she received a bright yellow flowering plant from her student Jack who she referred to as "the engineer."

"The families are extraordinary and this is such a great learning environment that is filled with fun and exploration, like getting shells from the beach. I am so proud of them," Mulroy said.

Near the end of the event, cloudy, rainy skies turned into sunshine. Everyone gathered outside to look at a brilliant rainbow gleaming over the harbor. What a perfect way to end a milestone celebration.

Launch Service Almost Set for Use

Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen

By Katy Fitzpatrick

Harbormaster Horace Field said that the new launch service in Mattapoisett Harbor could be available to boaters starting as early as this weekend, June 16-17. Field, along with Marine Advisory Board Chairman Alan Gillis met before the Board of Selectmen during their regular meeting on Tuesday, June 12.

Field also gave an update on the Taylor Aquaculture dilemma. Earlier in the year, Robert Taylor received a list of requirements in terms of markings for his aquaculture in the harbor. Field said Taylor had obtained the proper buoys for his aquaculture and they are at the correct distance away from each other.



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However, Field said that Taylor needs to obtain new channel markers to achieve compliance with the new regulations.

"He should change them out," said Selectman Paul Silva.

The Marine Advisory Board made a few recommendations to the Board of Selectmen. The first was that the Board raise the prices of stickers for dinghies in the harbor in order to pay for the recently installed racks. They also recommended that the town purchase only the amount of stickers to suit the amount of available spots in the harbor. Both of these rules, however, will not come into play until next summer.

Gillis recommended that the town coordinate a



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better parking system for the area around the harbor. As it stands right now, the parking is very discombobulated. Both boards agreed to implement angled parking and to also utilize the Beach Attendant on Duty to make sure people are parking in an orderly fashion.

The Marine Advisory Board also advised getting a set of solar floodlights to put around the launch area. According to Gillis, the lighting situation right now is unfit, and solar lights would be the most cost effective solution. Gagne asked Gillis to provide him with a provider so they could begin pricing out options.

In other news, Gagne gave an update on the town's photovoltaic project. He said the project is still in the planning stages and is 3-4 months away from being



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Gagne also is seeking interested benefactors for donations to replace the fence in Shipyard Park. He said the current fence is rotting and the town should replace it in the fall.

"It would be a very nice gift to the community of Mattapoisett," Gagne said.

Both Pastor Amy Lignitz Harken and Earl Sylvia were appointed to the Mattapoisett Council on Aging. The Board also voted to appoint George Randall to the Agricultural Commission.

The Mattapoisett Open Space and Recreation Plan will be holding an introductory meeting on Thursday, June 21 at 6:30 pm in the Mattapoisett Library. The group is looking for recommendations on town property that residents believe should be historically preserved.

The Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen will meet again on Tuesday, July 11 at 7:00 pm in the Town Hall.

Plans For New Home Draw Questions

Mattapoisett Conservation Commission

By Eric Tripoli

On Monday, June 11, the Mattapoisett Conservation Commission held their first meeting of the month. They heard from Doug Schneider, of Schneider and Associates, on behalf of Dean Withrow, who filed for a Notice of Intent to construct a new home on Grand

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View Avenue. Since the home would be so close to sea level, Schneider is proposing constructing it on stilts, and adding fill to the lot to raise the level of the property. The proposal caught the attention of several abutters, who attended the meeting to speak their concerns, which focused on drainage issues and whether or not it would be legal to build a home there at all.

Russell Bailey, who lives in the neighborhood, was worried that raising the grade of the land would cause rain and hurricane water to change the direction of drainage, threatening his property, as well as others.

"You're going to do away with the natural flow of water during a hurricane," he said.

His concerns were echoed by Leslie Henderson,

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who said she had "a vested interest in property at 19 Bay Road." In addition to the issue of flooding, she presented to the Commission with plans from 2007 that illustrated the intent to build a reservoir, catch basin, and swale on the property in question, in order to improve the water drainage of the neighborhood.

"It takes a week to two weeks for rain water to drain from my property," Henderson said.

She also produced a notarized affidavit, co-signed by Withrow, agreeing that there would be no other development of the land except for the purposes of drainage.

"I don't understand how we can entertain the notion of putting up another dwelling when they were supposed to build a retention pond and never did," she said.

In light of these concerns and since the project does not yet have a file number from the DEP, the Conservation Commission voted to continue the hearing until their next meeting so they may research the history of the property in order to make a better determination later.

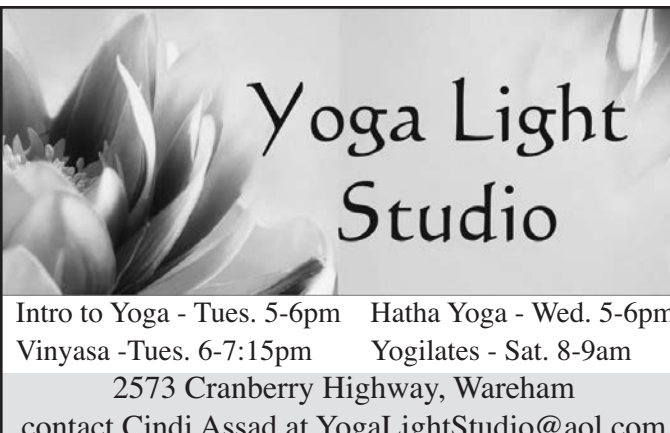
The Commission also welcomed back Stanley Humphries, of LEC Environmental Consultants, Inc. who, on behalf of the DaRosa family, continued to discuss their plans to install coconut fiber envelopes of sand along a coastal bank, and plant various grasses and shrubs in order to prevent erosion of an area on Goodspeed Island.



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While the Commission seemed to be supportive of the plan, Chairman Peter Newton said that he would prefer the people of Mattapoisett be considered before they approve the plan. He suggested hiring a third party to determine of the project and proposed materials would be adequate for its intended purpose.

"This is not a trivial project for the town," said Newton.

"I think that to be fair to the residents of Mattapoisett, we really need an independent review of this proposal. If it's going to change the landscape of Goodspeed Island, we need to know for sure."

"They are looking at an August or September construction, so we have some time," said Humphries, who readily agreed with the Commissions suggestion.



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In other business, the Conservation Commission voted in favor of a Notice of Intent to build some small additions onto property at 20 Water Street, and voted in favor of a conservation restriction on a parcel of land near the Fairhaven town line. The land would be designated for light public recreation, such as walking, biking, and picnics.

The next meeting of the Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will be held on Monday, June 25, 2012, at 6:30 pm at the Town Hall.

Planning Board Puts Focus on Bylaws

Rochester Planning Board

By Laura Fedak Pedul

The Rochester Planning Board is deeply entrenched in the process of working on several bylaws that pertain to home businesses, solar projects, a new village center overlay and a right to farm.

At the board's June 12 meeting, language for all these bylaws was put under a microscope. Prior to adoption, all bylaws require public meetings and approval by Rochester residents at town meeting.

With New Bedford Waterworks approaching the town to install a 25-30 acre solar farm in Northwest Rochester, the board sought to codify the town's expectations for solar projects.

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With the board satisfied with the work, Town Planner John Charbonneau said, "I feel like we are getting really close on this." Board members agreed to forward the bylaw language to Town Counsel Blair Bailey for his review.

Additionally, the board was hard at work revising the Home Business Bylaw. After the public weighed in against the proposed home business bylaws during public hearings in April, the board is now back at the drawing board.

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Board members decided to use a draft created by board member Susan Teal that discussed rules for single-family homes, accessory structures and storage spaces for use in home businesses.

That evening, the board specifically looked at setback requirements for roadside stands, which Teal proposed at 25 feet from the front property line and 15 feet from the sideine.

"I don't have a 25- foot long car. Twenty five feet is a long way, I'm still good with the 15 feet," commented board member Bendrix Bailey.

Robert Francis noted that the setback could be closer, as promoting a configuration where cars need to back out could pose a safety hazard. "In line parking is

better," he said.

The board also realized that bylaws currently in the books are stricter than state rules, as they stipulate that only products grown on that particular property can be sold at a roadside stand. State rules designate 50 percent of goods as home grown, but also allow property owners to sell goods from other businesses at their roadside stands. The board agreed to investigate conforming to state rules to allow more flexibility.

The board agreed that other accessory structures 150 feet or more - which are not roadside stands - should be 40 feet from all property lines and in the rear yard. The board also agreed that many definitions in the current draft need clarification, including what constitutes a farm building versus a farm structure.

Francis said it was important to crystallize the difference between an accessory structure and farming structure, as people can use their buildings for commercial reasons without proper authorization.

"People have a way of twisting things to meet their own needs," he said, noting that farming buildings have been used improperly for other business ventures.

The board also briefly discussed the village overlay, which will allow more mixed uses in the town center. The board agreed that buildings must be 40 feet from any adjoining property, which would encourage owners of multiple lots to seek an ANR to combine lots if they wish to construct buildings near each other.



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"If you say that, it forces them to combine the lots, which is what we want," said Chairman Arnie Johnson.

Charbonneau said that he would present a revised map of the proposed overlay, which encompasses land from the Post Office to the Women's Club, as well as the Old Airport site, for the board. This overlay would be about 50 percent smaller than what he originally proposed, he said.

In other topics, the board spoke in favor of a right-to-farm bylaw the newly created Agricultural Commission put forward. The bylaw would protect the rights of farmers to pursue their trade, especially in the face of more residential development.

"It's a great laissez faire bylaw. I love it," said Bailey. The board is planning to meet with the Rochester Agricultural Commission on June 26 to flesh out the details.

Planning Board Welcomes Mary Crane

Mattapoisett Planning Board

By Katy Fitzpatrick

The Mattapoisett Planning Board and Board of Selectmen appointed a new member to the Planning Board during a special meeting on Tuesday, June 12. Mary Crane of Mattapoisett was unanimously elected after meeting before both boards for an interview.

"You would bring a lot to the position," said

Town Administrator Michael Gagne.

Crane relocated to Mattapoisett three years ago. Prior to moving, she served for seven years in Watertown, MA on their Planning Board. She has 14 years of professional planning experience. Crane became interested in the position when she saw it posted on the town's website.

"It's a good way to help out the community," she said. "I love the town and I wanted to find a way to serve and be available."

The Planning Board lost a member earlier this year due to relocation. Crane will serve the rest of the term and may then decide to run for re-election when her term is up.

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"It's a good opportunity that gives individuals a chance to try it out," said Gagne.

Crane had one other opponent vying for the position, however, the individual did not show up for the interview.

The next regularly schedule meeting for the Mattapoisett Planning Board is Monday, June 18 at 7:00 pm in Town Hall.

Sippican School Teacher Recognized

Marion School Committee

By Eric Tripoli

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Committee convened for their last regular meeting of the academic year. They began by recognizing the efforts of teacher Karen Jacobson, of the Sippican School, an 18-year veteran of education. One of her current students, Emily Dineen, was invited to speak about how her teacher had positively affected her year in school.

"Mrs. Jacobson is the teacher whom I've admired most," said Dineen. "Mrs. Jacobson taught me a lot about myself. I came in really not confident, but I'm leaving a lot more tough, a lot more capable, and I'm more of a young woman than I was when I started. She really did understand what I was trying to do all year."

Dineen also told the story of the first day in Mrs. Jacobson's class, and how when they first made eye contact with one another, she knew Mrs. Jacobson had figured her out and knew how to help Dineen succeed.

"She told me to expand out of my comfort zone. She told me to try experiments. I think that was the part of my life where I realized I could do more things than I thought I could, and it really hit me that she really had figured me out. She had seen people like me come through before. It's not just academics, it's sports, art, and music, and my social life, too."

The Committee then had former Sippican student and current Boston College English major, Meagan McCarthy, speak about how her experiences in Mrs. Jacobson's class shaped her academic life.

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prompts from Mrs. Jacobson. We would receive different pictures and have to write a story about them," McCarthy said.

She told of her proudest moment in seeing one of her compositions on the bulletin board, featured so the whole class could see. McCarthy said that, though she was initially disappointed by the fact that Mrs. Jacobson didn't always post her papers, no matter how good they were.

"As I saw other students' stories up on the board, I realized Mrs. Jacobson was trying to get us to all feel a sense of pride in our work. It was about us doing our personal best, not about being the best," she said.

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In other business, the School Committee voted in favor of Mrs. Almeida's fourth grade class participating in a fundraiser walk for juvenile diabetes research. They also discussed preparations for improving the district's practices for dealing with students with behavioral issues. Since up to 20% of students in the district are receiving services for emotional or social learning issues, the School Committee is the midst of researching ways they can help teachers and administrators provide the environment and educational care required for students with anxiety, depression, or ADHD succeed academically.

The next meeting of the Marion School Committee will be on August 22, 2012, at 6:30 pm.

Center School Clock To Ring in Summer

Mattapoisett School Committee

By Laura Fedak Pedulli

Residents of Mattapoisett Village soon will measure the day again through the chimes of the Center School Clock. At the Mattapoisett School Committee meeting on Monday, June 11, Ray Andrews reported that the installation of the renovated Seth Thomas 1898 Clock is slated for June 28 - and he proposed to ring the bells for the first time at a public debut event on the following Saturday on June 30.

The efforts to restore the clock are long running. It took more than one year for Andrews to secure the necessary funds - including \$27,482 in private fundraising. The town authorized \$51,500 for the clock's restoration at last month's annual town meeting.

"It's the first time in 114 years that we'll see the clock in operation," said Andrews of the clock mechanisms, which will be viewable from the music room. The clock's bells will ring from 7:00 am to 8:00 pm and go silent between 9:00 pm and 6:00 am. Andrews said that the Mattapoisett Congressional Church agreed to silence their carillon bells at all times except noon and 6:00 pm.

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Community Preservation Committee will be set aside exclusively for care and maintenance of the dial face and gears, he said. The revolving fund, managed through Town Administrator Michael Gagne's office, would ensure the clock's upkeep, and assist with the anticipated cost to repaint the clock.

The account requires authorization at the Special Town Meeting in the fall. Andrews envisions representatives from the Select Board, Historical Commission, and School Committee overseeing access to the account.

"It's in the school, but it's a town responsibility to maintain it... One of most important things is take the responsibility away from school committee," Andrews

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said of the clock.

As the Center School Clock will ring in the summer, the committee voted in Jim Higgins to lead the committee next year as Chairman. He is replacing Gracinda Knox, who has served for four years as Chair. The committee also welcomed newcomer Jim Muse to the table.

Also that evening, Old Hammondtown Student Adjustment Counselor Laura Courage shared with the committee how guidance staff enhances social and emotional learning in Mattapoissett schools. The presentation aimed to inform the committee and community at large about counseling services available to all students.

"Our goal is to help students access education without social and emotional barriers," Courage said, citing the need to treat anxiety, social skills deficits, and attention deficit disorder. "This impacts learning of all the kids in the classroom."

She said 5 to 10 percent of children are diagnosed with anxiety disorders, which can result in children exhibiting avoidance behavior towards school. Guidance staff take a proactive approach to identify and refer children with mental health needs to the right place so counselors "get to them before they have 30 absences," she said.

Courage reported that the guidance office is taking more steps to collect data on regular day students, who use the services equally as much as Special Education students. Counseling data on special education students already is routinely collected.

"This is about the getting the word out that assistance is available. Maybe the student is not in trouble, but there is a lot of stress in their family," said Teresa Hamm, Director of Student Services.

In other business discussed, Superintendent Doug White is in the process of hiring for two positions in the central district administrative office. He said the search continues to replace Business Administrator Katie Isernio, and he will begin the process to locate a new Technology Director next week.

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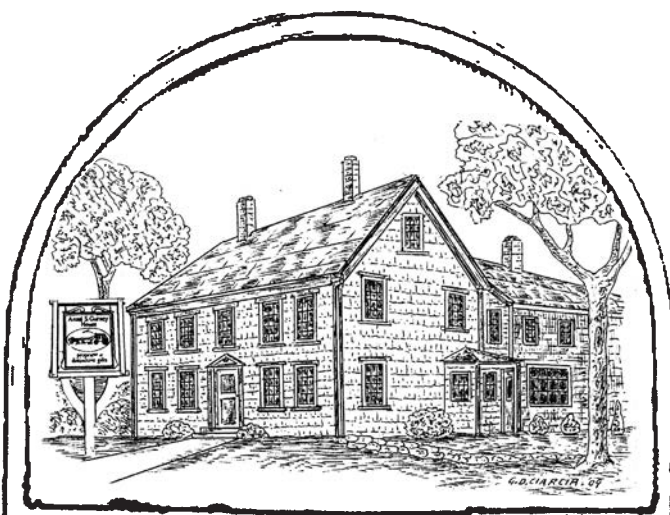
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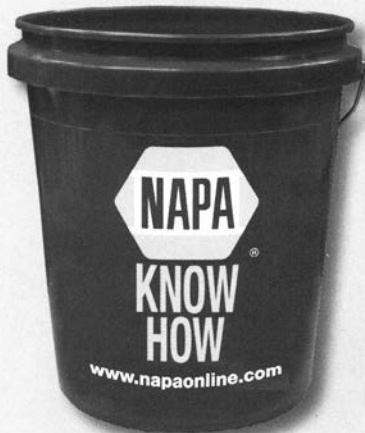


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To the Editor:

A sincere thank you to Jackie Coucci, Judy Anthony and the many friends who turned out for my retirement send off from the Mattapoisett Council on Aging. The outpouring of true friendship makes my decision to retire even more difficult.

If I may make just one more outreach effort to those of you who have been reluctant to visit the Mattapoisett Council on Aging, you are depriving yourself the opportunity of meeting a new group of true friends. We do not refer to ourselves as a Senior Center we are a Council on Aging and Lord knows we are all doing that on a daily basis. Give it a try.

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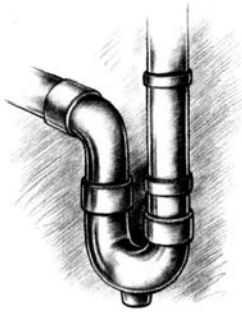
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Marion Council on Aging Events

Next podiatry clinic will be held **July 2** beginning at 1:00 pm. Appointments are needed. Dance Fit exercise class on Mondays at 10:00 am at the Music Hall, \$4 per class. Speaker series will begin again in October. The Marion Council on Aging van travels to Market Basket every Wednesday and alternates on Fridays between Shaw's plaza in Wareham and the marts in Fairhaven. Please call with a suggestion for a topic you would like discussed.

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Meeting of the Sippican Historical Society, which will be held at 7:00 pm on **Thursday, June 21** at the Marion Music Hall (164 Front Street). The evening will begin with a look back at the past year's activities and achievements, as well as a look forward to upcoming SHS events and initiatives. Next, SHS will honor and recognize the founding committee of the Marion Antiques Show, the creation and implementation of which have been instrumental to the Historical Society's continued operation. Finally, the Society will welcome incoming Directors Laurie Fearing, Glenn Oliveira, Margot Stone and Kris Tomlinson as it bids farewell to outgoing Directors Betsy Fallon and Terry Lee.

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The first stop is to purchase a \$10 per carload ticket at the RLT booth on the Town Hall Commons, Constitution Road, across from Plumb Corner Mall, 565 Rounseville Road, Route 105. There, participants will have an opportunity to learn about RLT properties and land preservation efforts. They will also receive a map for the self-directed Barn, Home and Garden Tour, with pond and field vistas at every turn.

The tour will be held rain or shine. No pets are allowed. Kids of all ages are welcomed. Join the RLT for an afternoon fun in the country, go on out to play in the barns, homes and gardens. For more information, contact Bunny Mogilnicki at 508-763-0088 or visit home.comcast.net/~rochesterlandtrust.

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Koby Williamson from Mattapoisett is a student at Mannes College of Music in New York City. Williamson studies classical guitar as well as composition, and is in his second year pursuing a bachelor of music degree. He plans to continue his studies for a master's degree in composition.

The scholarship is named for Mr. Clement L. Yaeger, an enthusiastic music lover. He was a resident of Fairhaven and worked as a librarian for the New

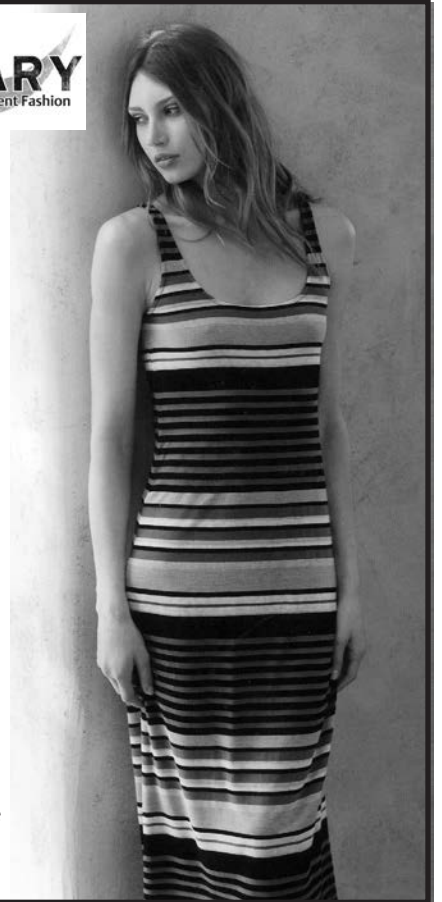
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Tri-County Symphonic Band Concert

The Tri-County Symphonic Band will present a program of music spanning the "Three Generations of Disney" at its 10th annual Pops Concert on **Sunday, June 17**, in the Grand Tent adjacent to the Fireman Performing Arts Center on the campus of Tabor Academy. Doors open at 2:00 pm for light refreshments and silent auction bidding. The music will begin at 3:00 pm. Tickets are \$25 for adults, \$10 for students. Children ages 5 and under will be admitted for free. Tickets may be purchased at the door or in advance by visiting www.tricountysymphonicband.org.

The Pops Concert is the major fund raising event for the Tri-County Music Association's Scholarship and Summer Study programs. Over the years, the TCMA has given financial aid to over 100 local students in their pursuit of music education. This year, the TCMA has awarded \$12,000 to high school and college students in Barnstable, Bristol and Plymouth counties for a variety of musical ventures. It is with the continued support of the community that the TCMA can offer these opportunities for the years to come.

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Mattapoisett Recreation Summer Programs

Here is a list of our summer programs, interested participants can obtain more details at www.mattapoisett.net/Pages/MattapoisettMA_Recreation/index or on Facebook: Mattapoisett Recreation Department:

- Adult Pick-up Soccer - Thursday Evenings
- Adult Pick-Up Basketball - Wednesday 6:30
- Adventures in Space - July 9-16
- Bay State Gymnastics - June 29-July 27
- Field Hockey Camp - July 9-13
- Intro to Stand Up Paddle Board - 2 Sessions
- Kaleidoscope Hip Hop - June- July
- MattRec Swimming Lessons
- Old Rochester Youth Football
- Old Rochester Cheerleading
- Phoenix Crew: Adult - June 18 - August 23
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Advance tickets may be purchased early at Periwinkle's in Fairhaven, Isabelle's Gift Shop in the Ropewalk, Pen & Pendulum (Route 6 Mattapoisett), and the Bookstall (Marion). These advance tickets are available for \$15 per person and \$17 per person on the day of the tour. For both lunch and tour, tickets are \$27 in advance and \$30 the day of the tour.

Lunch will be served from 12:00 to 2:00 pm at the Inn at Shipyard Park.

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Marion Democratic Committee Meeting

The Marion Democratic Town Committee will hold its monthly meeting at the Music Hall, **Saturday, June 16**, at 10:00 am. Bristol District Attorney C. Samuel Sutter has been invited as a guest speaker. All Marion Democrats are welcome. Also, the Democratic Town Committee's food drive was a great success; food items were donated to the Salvation Army. For more information contact: Chairwoman Eileen Marum at 508-



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Drop in story times for toddlers and preschoolers will be held each week, and chess club will be ongoing for children on Wednesday evenings.

At registration, each family will receive a packet of milkweed seeds, courtesy of the Friends of the Mattapoisett Library, to help encourage monarch butterflies in their migration. A program will be offered to learn more about the beautiful monarchs.

For young adult patrons, **Take Back the Night**, will also begin in July with many events and programs geared for junior high and high school students. Many programs will also be of interest to adults.

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Writer Debby Corbett will lead a creative writing group with students in 6th through 8th grade on Wednesdays from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm, beginning **June 26**. Enjoy putting your ideas on paper with other writers.

The Junior Friends of the Library will be showing the film "The Princess Bride" on **Wednesday, June 27** from 5:30 to 7:30 pm. Popcorn, drinks, and goodies. Come in from the beach and cool off while watching a great

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Meet novelist Meg Mitchell Moore, author of "So Far Away" and "The Arrivals." She will be reading from her work and signing books on **Wednesday, June 20** at 7:00 pm.

The Writer's Group will meet **Wednesday, June 13** at 6:30 pm. Everyone is welcome and all genres are discussed in a supportive atmosphere.

Donations of clean used books are now being

accepted at the library for the Friends' Annual Used Book Sale, which will take place during the week of **July 17**. This year it is being held at the library during regular library hours.

SouthCoast Bike Way Challenge

The SouthCoast Bikeway Challenge taking place on **Sunday June 24** is a picnic + fitness, fundraising and bike safety event at YMCA Camp Massasoit. Benefits the Mattapoisett Rail Trail. You can get all the information and pre-register at www.mattapoisetttrailtrail.com. Participants must wear helmets. Kids under 15 must be accompanied by an adult. Meet us at Camp Massasoit, 50 Reservation Road.

The picnic will feature the Music by Scott Parker from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm. Bring a blanket for the lawn or the beach. There will be a course set up at the YMCA Camp Massasoit for our youngest riders. Picnickers can

LOCAL CABLE PROGRAMMING

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Sunday June 17, 2011

6:30 AM - Words of Peace
7:00 AM - Second Coming Church
8:00 AM - New Testament Church of Cedarville
9:00 AM - Music and the Spoken Word
9:30 AM - First Congregational Church of Rochester
11:30 AM - White House Chronicle
Noon - Register's Report
12:30 PM - Cape Cod Book Scene
1:00 PM - Physician Focus
1:30 PM - Navigating the Way for Seniors
2:00 PM - Music and the Spoken Word
2:30 PM - First Congregational Church of Rochester
4:00 PM - New Testament Church of Cedarville
5:00 PM - Words of Peace
5:30 PM - Older and Loving It
6:00 PM - Creating Cooperative Kids
7:00 PM - Arts.21
7:30 PM - Mattapoisett School Committee - Education Matters
9:30 PM - Dartmouth Community Medical School Forums
Midnight - Midnight Movie

Monday June 18, 2011

8:00 AM - Arts.21
9:00 AM - Your Money Your Life
10:00 AM - Second Act
10:30 AM - White House Chronicle
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Jazzercise
Noon - Middy Movie
2:00 PM - Robbi Around Town
3:00 PM - Words of Peace
4:00 PM - Earth Focus
4:30 PM - Explore
5:00 PM - Reeling - The Movie Review Show
5:30 PM - Around BCC
6:00 PM - Become Your Own Gym
8:00 PM - Boating Local

9:00 PM - European Journal
9:30 PM - Global 3000
10:30 PM - Life Matters
11:00 PM - The David Pakman Show
Midnight - Midnight Movie

Tuesday June 19, 2011

8:00 AM - Navigating the Way for Seniors
9:00 AM - Graceful Aging
9:30 AM - Homefront
10:00 AM - Senior Scene
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Jazzercise
Noon - Middy Movie
3:00 PM - Dartmouth Community Medical School Forum
5:30 PM - Graceful Aging
6:30 PM - The Dr. Is In
7:00 PM - Senior Scene
7:30 PM - ORCTV's Nonprofit Highlights
8:00 PM - Upper Cape Tech Presents - Careers
9:00 PM - Robbi Around Town
10:30 PM - Physician Focus
11:00 PM - Free Minds TV
Midnight - Midnite Mausoleum

Wednesday June 20, 2011

8:00 AM - Cooking with Colby
9:00 AM - Emily's Garden
10:00 AM - Cooking with Marie
10:30 AM - Living Healthy - with Jackie Bell
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Jazzercise
Noon - Middy Movie
3:00 PM - Sci-Fi Journal
4:00 PM - The David Pakman Show
5:00 PM - The Register's Report
6:00 PM - Become Your Own Gym
7:00 PM - Boating Local
8:00 PM - The David Pakman Show
9:00 PM - Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy
10:30 PM - Life Matters
11:00 PM - 30 Odd Minutes
11:30 PM - Paranormal Generation

Midnight - Midnight Movie
1:30 AM - Sci-Fi Journal

Thursday June 21, 2011

8:00 AM - Navigating the Way for Seniors
9:00 AM - The Register's Report
10:00 AM - NASA 360
10:30 AM - Kids a Cookin'
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Jazzercise
Noon - Middy Movie
2:30 PM - Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy
3:30 PM - ORCTV's Non-Profit Highlights
4:30 PM - Drawing with Mark
6:00 PM - Robbi Around Town
7:00 PM - Reeling - The Movie Review Show
7:30 PM - The Cooking Hour
8:30 PM - The Jazz Room Live
9:00 PM - Just Coolin' - Jazz Hour
Midnight - Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
2:00 AM - Midnight Mausoleum

Friday June 22, 2011

8:00 AM - Cooking with Colby
10:00 AM - Cape Cod Book Scene
10:30 AM - ORCTV's Nonprofit Highlights
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Jazzercise
Noon - Middy Movie
1:30 PM - Boating Local
2:00 PM - Emily's Garden
3:00 PM - European Journal
3:30 PM - Global 3000
5:00 PM - Explore
5:30 PM - Earth Focus
7:30 PM - Navigating the Way for Seniors
8:00 PM - Community Nurse and Hospice's - House Calls
8:30 PM - Around BCC
11:00 PM - 30 Odd Minutes
11:30 PM - Paranormal Generation
Midnight - Friday Night at the Drive-In - Midnight Movies

Saturday June 23, 2011

7:00 AM - Classic Cartoon Festival
8:30 AM - Peek-a-boo Turtle
9:30 AM - NASA 360
11:00 AM - Kids a Cookin'
Noon - ORCTV Community Announcements
1:30 PM - Go Fish with Dan Kenney
2:00 PM - Emily's Garden
2:30 PM - 30 Odd Minutes
3:00 PM - Around BCC
4:00 PM - Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy
5:00 PM - Boating Local
6:30 PM - Upper Cape Tech Careers
7:00 PM - Reeling - The Movie Review Show
7:30 PM - The Cooking Hour
8:30 PM - The Jazz Room Live
9:00 PM - Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
11:00 PM - Just Coolin' - Jazz Hour
Midnight - Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
2:00 AM - The Dungeon of Dr. Dreck

MARION GOVERNMENT

Comcast Channel 95

Verizon Channel 39

Daily Schedule

8:00 AM - Marion School Committee
11:00 AM - Latest Planning Board Meeting
12:30 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
3:30 PM - Marion School Committee
6:30 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
8:00 PM - Latest Planning Board Meeting

ROCHESTER GOVERNMENT

Comcast Channel 95

Verizon Channel 40

Daily Schedule

8:00 AM - Rochester School Committee
11:00 AM - Latest Planning Board

Meeting
1:30 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
4:00 PM - Rochester School Committee
6:30 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
8:00 PM - Latest Planning Board Meeting

EDUCATION CHANNEL

Comcast Channel 18

Verizon Channel 37

Daily Schedule

8:00 AM - ORRHJS Poetica Dramatica 2012
9:00 AM - RMS Beginner Instrumental Concert 2012
10:00 AM - RMS Drama - Macbeth
11:00 AM - Tom Bliss Presents - Cape Cod Conservatory Jazz Band - Spring 2012
11:50 AM - ORRHJS TV 1 Project - Game Shows
12:30 PM - Upper Cape Tech Presents - Careers
1:00 PM - ORR Theater Class - A Comedy of Errors
2:00 PM - RMS Beginner Instrumental Concert 2012
3:00 PM - ORRHJS - Spring Concert 2012
4:00 PM - Tom Bliss Presents - NEC Prep Combo - Spring 2012
5:50 PM - ORRHJS TV 1 Project - Game Shows
6:30 PM - ORR Theater Class - A Comedy of Errors
7:30 PM - ORRHJS - Spring Concert 2012
8:30 PM - RMS Drama - Macbeth (ORR)
9:30 PM - ORRHJS Poetica Dramatica 2012
10:35 PM - Tom Bliss Presents - Cape Cod Conservatory Jazz Band - Spring 2012

MATTAPOISETT GOVERNMENT

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bring their own lunch or buy from the Lion's Club. A hot breakfast and a brown bag lunch are available from the Lion's Club for \$5 with pre-registration only. Otherwise, buy a la carte from the Lion's Club grill. The safety challenge is a quick 10-point quiz. Get it right and you win an ice cream coupon.

The Fitness Challenge is to ride your personal best up to 17 miles. It includes enjoying the views from the unpaved Future bike path across the Mattapoisett River bridge, Riding on the Bike path to Fairhaven and road riding out on the non commercial part of Sconticut Neck Road. Preregistered riders can come and ride early (8:30 am) and enjoy a hot breakfast. Or start your ride before or after the picnic. We are having staggered starts at 10:00 am and 12:30 pm to avoid too many people on the bike path at one time. It is not a race and you don't have to ride. You can just come for the picnic and enjoy a great day.

You can also turn your ride into a pledge ride. If you raise more than \$150 and you are the top fundraiser, you'll win a gift certificate to a local bike shop or restaurant. So come out and show your support for biking, fitness and bike safety! Go to www.mattapoisetttrail.com to pre-register.

Mattapoisett Track Club

The Mattapoisett Track Club will begin its new season on **June 25** at Old Rochester Regional High



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School and continue every Monday and Wednesday night until August 8 between the hours of 6:00 to 8:00 pm. Registration will begin at 5:00 pm on the 25th, but you may register any night of the track season. The membership fee is \$40 per member. The Mattapoisett Track Club is open to children age three and older, regardless of town. Summer residents are welcome.

Summer Teen Dances

The first wharf dance of the summer will be **Thursday, June 21**. All dances will begin at 7:30 pm and end at 10:30 pm. Admission is limited to students

entering the junior and senior high school in the fall and who are residents of the Tri-Town area. Summer residents and summer visitors are also welcome. No one will be admitted to these dances after 9:00 pm. Admission is \$6.

Mattapoisett Land Trust Banner Policy

The Mattapoisett Land Trust continues to make improvements to its trails and land in Mattapoisett for the enjoyment of all. Through this ongoing effort, the MLT has identified its property at the southeast corner of North Street and Route 6 for improvement. As this parcel is a major visual gateway to the community the MLT is excited to give it a fresh look.

The planned improvements include landscaping, plantings, and the removal of posts that have been used to hang various banners and other items. In order to continue to accommodate local non-profit and community organizations that wish to place banners at that location to announce events, the MLT will maintain space on designated posts for that use.

Since this will limit the use of the lot for banners, the MLT will allow permission to hang banners below the sign board and between the two sign posts as equitably as possible, in accordance with the attached policy. The marquee signboard will also continue to be available for notices as in the past through the Mattapoisett Lions Club,

TRI-TOWN POLICE LOGS



MARION

Log highlights June 3-June 9

- Wareham Rd – Chemical spill
- Front St – MV accident
- Wilson Rd – Medical emergency
- Delano Rd – Medical emergency
- County Rd – Gunshots reported
- Mill St – Medical emergency
- Delano Rd – Larceny/past
- Zora Rd – MV accident
- Wareham Rd – Medical
- Delano Rd – Medical emergency
- Front St – MV accident
- Mill St - Forgery
- Front St – Health/welfare
- Rezendes Ter – Family disturbance
- Joanne Dr – Medical emergency
- Marion Harbor – Waterways emergency
- Point Rd - Disturbance
- Rose Cottage Ln – Medical emergency
- Lewis St – Annoying phone calls
- County Rd - Disturbance
- Aucoot Ave Health/welfare
- Holly Ln – Burglar alarm
- Wareham Rd – Medical emergency
- Converse Rd – Message delivery
- Jenna Dr – Health/welfare
- Point Rd – MV accident
- Wareham Rd – MV accident
- Front St - Disturbance
- Wildflower Ln – Officer wanted

MATTAPOISETT

Log highlights June 3-June 9

- Brandt Island Rd – MV crash
- North St – Suspicious persons
- Barstow St – Missing person
- Hawthorne St – Health/welfare
- Marion Rd – MV crash
- Driscoll Ln - Vandalism
- Cedarcrest Ave – Ambulance request
- Channel St - Disturbance
- Brandt Island Rd – Larceny/forgery/fraud
- Pleasant View Ave – Ambulance request
- County Rd – 911 call
- Angelica Ave – Health/welfare
- Pine Island Rd – B&E/MV
- County Rd – Suspicious persons
- Pico Beach Rd - Vandalism
- Brandt Island Rd – Health/welfare
- Marion Rd - Disturbance
- Ocean Dr – 911 abandoned calls
- Pico Beach Rd – Larceny/forgery/fraud
- Water St – Health/welfare
- County Rd – Harassing/annoying calls
- Barstow St – Suspicious persons
- Acorn Ln – Ambulance request
- West St – 911 call
- Ned's Point Rd – Suspicious persons
- Linhares Ave – MV lockout
- Prospect Rd – B&E/MV
- County Rd – Missing person
- Ship St – Burglar alarm

ROCHESTER

Log highlights June 6-June 10

- North Ave – Suspicious person/arrest
- Looks Mill Ln – Noise complaint
- Wolf Island Rd – Burglar alarm
- Randall Rd - Trespass
- Dexter Ln – 911 abandoned
- Mary's Pond Rd – Firearms violation
- Perry's Ln – Suspicious MV
- Mary's Pond Rd – Suspicious person
- Randall Rd – Suspicious activity
- Sarah Sherman Rd – Officer wanted
- Mary's Pond Rd – Restraining order
- Braley Hill Rd – Officer wanted
- Cranberry Hwy – Ambulance request
- Taber Ln – Ambulance request
- Cross Rd - Complaint
- Cushman Rd – Paper service
- Burgess Ave – Larceny/forgery/fraud
- Mattapoisett Rd – Alarm/hold-up
- Kings Hwy – Highway matter
- Pine St – Ambulance request
- Clapp Rd – Suspicious MV
- Woodland Rd – Assist citizen
- Marion Rd – Ambulance request
- County Rd – Noise complaint
- Cushman Rd – Ambulance request
- Neck Rd – Highway matter
- New Bedford Rd – Erratic operation
- Snipatuit Rd - Lockout
- Neck Rd – Suspicious person

For a full PDF of the three town's police logs from the past week, including arrest reports, visit www.Wanderer.com.

PO Box 1022.

Banner Policy: In support of community organizations, the Mattapoissett Land Trust (MLT) allows the placement of banners on our property at the southeast corner of North Street and County Street (Route 6). Due to limited space for banners, the following policy will govern. The MLT will permit the installation of banners that meet the following guidelines:

- Permission: Banners will be permitted only with advance approval by the MLT

- Eligible entities: Mattapoissett based non-profit and community based organizations, as well as the Town of Mattapoissett to announce functions and events, are eligible to use the space for banners

- Requests for use of the banner space will be reviewed for conformance with the policy and approved on a first come, first served basis. In the event there is not adequate space to accommodate all requests at any point in time, the MLT will prioritize banners for organizations that have not placed banners within the preceding 12 months

- Banner dimensions: In order to fit the signposts the face of the banner shall not exceed 2' by 8'

- Duration: Banners may be installed for up to two weeks

- Location: Banners may be installed only upon the appropriate posts

- Responsible parties: Owners are responsible for



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Obituaries:

Beryl Coggeshall, 79, of Plymouth, formerly of Marion died Monday, June 4, 2012 at Charlton Memorial Hospital in Fall River following a brief illness.

Born in Rochester, she was the daughter of the late Harry C & E. Pearl (Reed) Coggeshall.

Ms. Coggeshall attended Marion and Wareham schools and was formerly employed as a nurses' aide at several area nursing homes.

She is survived by many nieces and nephews and was the sister of the late Bertha Serpa, Madeline Guerzoni, Calvin Coggeshall, Carlton Coggeshall and Malcolm Coggeshall, Sr.

A graveside service was held on Monday, June 11 at Rochester Center Cemetery, Dexter Ln., Rochester at 10:00 AM. Visiting hours were omitted.

Donations in her memory may be made to the American Heart Assoc., 20 Speen St. Framingham, MA 01701. For directions and on-line guestbook visit: www.ccgfuneralhome.com



Nancy (Mellor) Wickenden, age 97, died at Sippican Health Care on June 9, 2012, after a brief illness. She was the widow of James William Wickenden and the daughter of Albert Lincoln Mellor and his wife, Marion Alden (Mason) Mellor.

Mrs. Wickenden was born January 29, 1915 in Plymouth, Massachusetts. She was a graduate of Plymouth High School and in 1936, of Wellesley College. She taught seventh and eighth grade English and Mathematics in Plymouth.

In 1937 she married James William Wickenden. They lived for five years in Deerfield, Massachusetts, where Mr. Wickenden taught at Deerfield Academy. In 1942 Nancy and Jim moved to Marion, Massachusetts, where Jim served as Headmaster of Tabor Academy for 34 years. During those years, Nancy served in the library and in innumerable ways within the life of the school and its students, faculty, and staff. In her family memoir she wrote, "I loved my life at Tabor. It was a wonderful place to raise a family and mingle with an ever-changing population of young people and their parents. I thoroughly enjoyed watching the athletic events, attending concerts - even Sunday night vespers. My days were full, caring for my children, working in the library and hosting receptions and Sunday night suppers as well as frequent gatherings for the Board of Trustees. 1976 - and our retirement came all too quickly."

Both while at Tabor and in retirement years Nancy has been very active in the community of Marion. She

was a founding member of the Penny Pinchers Exchange volunteers at the First Congregational Church Chapel. She served on the diaconate of the Church and held offices in the Sippican Woman's Club. She was also a member of the Marion Garden Discussion Club. She regularly played bridge, and was a fervid participant in a vast array of board and other party games with friends and family. She remained a gracious hostess throughout her life. She really enjoyed entertaining, insisting she was a better host than a guest! In the best and fullest sense of the term, she has been a matriarch to her family, her academy, and her community of friends.

Nancy was preceded in death by two sisters, Barbara (Mellor) Yates and her husband Allan Yates and Margaret (Mellor) Hall; a brother, Mason Mellor; and a daughter, Barbara Wickenden. Her surviving children are James William Wickenden and his wife, Martha (Titus) Wickenden of Skillmann, New Jersey; Jeanne Wickenden Lake and her husband Charles David Lake, Sr.; and Meredith Wickenden Ryder and her husband Frank J. "Jay" Ryder, all of Marion. Nancy is further survived by eleven grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren, with two more on the way, as well as many nieces, nephews, and their children.

A family interment of her ashes will be held prior to a memorial service in Tabor's Wickenden Chapel, named for James and Nancy, Spring St. in Marion on Sunday, July 8th at 12 Noon, with a collation following, by Tabor Academy in the Fireman Performing Arts Center Foyer. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the following endowed funds at Tabor Academy: James W. Wickenden Fund, Nancy Wickenden Library Fund; Barbara Wickenden Faculty Professional Development Fund; or The First Congregational Church of Marion, P.O. Box 326, Marion, Massachusetts 02738.

Arrangements are with the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home For Funerals, 50 County Rd. (Rt. 6) Mattapoisett. For on-line guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.

If you have a notice you would like to have included in the Milestone section, please contact our office at : 508 758-9055, by fax at 508-758-4845, or by email at office@wanderer.com. Included in the Milestone Section is Birth Announcements, Obituaries, Engagement Notices, Wedding Notices, Anniversaries and Memorials.

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MLT is the sole entity responsible for administering the banner policy. Requests for use of the MLT property for installing banners may be made at www.mattlandtrust.org and selecting Request for Banner Space item under the Connect link. Questions regarding this policy may be sent to banners@mattlandtrust.org.

BoxTops/Campbell's Labels for Education

Please help support Center School and save your BoxTops and Campbell's Labels. Funding from these products helps pay for transportation to field trips and recess equipment. Community collection boxes for the BoxTops and soup labels are located at the Mattapoisett Town Hall, the Children's department of the Mattapoisett Free Public Library, and at the Mattapoisett Senior Center. Thank you for supporting your local school!

Rochester Historical Society Event

The Rochester Historical Society will present Three Centuries at Eastover Farm and the Sippican Mill, an interesting peek into the history of this beautiful Rochester farm and the families responsible for its preservation for over 300 years. 2012 marks the 100th anniversary of the Hiller family involvement with the property. The meeting is at the East Rochester Church/Museum on **Wednesday, June 20** at 7:00 pm. All are welcome. Refreshments will be served.



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MCS Class of 1952 Seeking Classmates

In mid-July, members of the graduating class of 1952 from the Mattapoisett Center School will gather in Shipyard Park to celebrate its 60th anniversary. The committee is looking to get in touch with the following classmates: John Bowman, Walter Bowman, Thelma Cambra, Mary Cruz, Barbara Dexter, Robert Dudgeon, Perry Enos, Perry Faria, Ray Faria, William Fields, Oliver Fonseca, Richard Frates, Donald Gerry, Eva Hathaway, William Hubbard, John Hyland, Catherine Jones, Carl Junior, Harry Kerst, George LeForest, MOnette LeForest, Irene Morgado, Edith Oliveira, Madelina Oliveira, Pat Pacheco, Eleanor Peacock, Charlotte Purrington, Jo-Ann Raphael, Richard Roberts, Donald Russell, Alice Souza, Jose Souza, Ronald Sylvia, Patricia Stone, Robert Sturtevant, Betty Tripp, Lottie Vaughn, Lenora Veira, David Vermilyea, George Washburn, Robert Waterhouse and Peter Wertz.

For more information on how to join the celebration, contact Donald Correia at drtire@aol.com or 508-758-4738.

Marion Recreation Summer Programs

Camp Silvershell is for children entering Grades 1-6. New this year, each two-week session will include a field trip, such as Roger Williams Zoo and Battleship Cove. The camp is Monday-Friday, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm. (No camp on July 4). Early Drop Off and Late Pick Up are

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EDITOR'S PICK OF THE WEEK

Survival Students Lend Hands to Soldiers

Every year, a group of brave seventh grade students from Old Rochester Regional High School head out into the wilderness for the annual Survival program. It's a daunting experience for anyone, let alone young students, to set off into the woods alone for an entire week not knowing what's in store. But luckily there are groups of chaperones that provide comfort for the students.

One of those chaperones is Captain Owen Fogarty, who has been involved with the Survival program since he was in junior high school. Fogarty graduated from ORRHS in 2001 and West Point University in 2005 and now serves in the U.S. Army.

This year, instead of surviving in the wilderness of Massachusetts, Captain Fogarty will be in Afghanistan and the ORRJHS students want to be there the same way Fogarty has always been there for them.

The "Survival Care Package Project" is an initiative for residents in the Tri-Town to donate as many store bought products as possible to be collected and packed in care packages. These packages will then be sent to Captain Fogarty and his unit of 170 soldiers.

"It all started when my daughter Kelly came home one afternoon from a Survival Chaperone Meeting and said 'Owen can't go his year because he has been deployed to Afghanistan,'" said Diane Merlo, one of the coordinators of the project and a former attendee of Survival.

Merlo, who is working alongside Sue Wheeler, will be collecting care package items and letters from students to send over to the unit, which will be stationed in Afghanistan until the end of the year.

"The more I learned about Captain Owen



Katy Fitzpatrick
katy@wanderer.com

Fogarty and his military family, and how much pride and love his mom and dad have for him, I knew that this was the right thing to have said 'yes' to," said Merlo. "However, I also know there are a lot of soldiers in his unit who do not have the same thing."

Originally, Merlo wanted to pack the care packages with fresh, homemade baked goods. But the average care package takes at least two weeks to get to the soldiers, so she had to rethink her plan.

Instead, each care package will be filled with all the essential store bought items, a handwritten letter and photo from the Survival participants, a rope bracelet kit and all of the essentials that are unavailable to soldiers while they are deployed.

Some of the items that will be collected include non-perishable individual foods, snacks, powdered beverage items and personal care items. Monetary donations will also be collected to help pay for postage.

Some examples of acceptable food and non-food items include; beef jerky, tuna / chicken pouches, hard candy, granola bars, trail mix, hand wipes, sunblock, hand sanitizer, playing cards, notepads, pens / mechanical pencils and shampoo / conditioner.

Merlo, Wheeler and the Survival participants hope to send at least 150 care packages. Each package can cost up to \$12.

"In my eyes, the sacrifice that these soldiers are making is worth every penny spent," said Merlo.

Merlo hopes to have the care packages assembled by Monday, June 25. Anyone with questions or who is interested in donating should contact her at 508-758-1324 or via e-mail at rmerlo63@msn.com.

"The Tri-Town is a very fortunate community and sometimes we tend to forget about the sacrifices these soldiers make," Merlo said. "In certain situations it is important to know that someone has your back no matter what."

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There are many new programs offered this summer:

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- For children going into Grades 1-3, there is the

Junior Scientist Summer Mixology Camp. The children will experiment with a variety of chemistry, biology, ecology and geology hands on activities. One week only!

• Tap and Hip Hop Dance Camps are offered for ages 5-13. There is also a Musical Theatre Camp based on the movie "Lemonade Mouth". Each of these one-week long camps will be held at the Music Hall during the month of July.

• Horsemanship Program is offered in August. It will consist of learning the basics of horse handling, safety and horse care, as well as a riding lesson for beginners to advanced.

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MOVIE REVIEW

Great Scott!

By Rob Gonsalves
www.robsmovievault.com

Prometheus. Starring Noomi Rapace and Michael Fassbender. Directed by Ridley Scott. Running time: 124 minutes. MPAA rating: R.

The elegantly designed *Prometheus* asks the Big Questions — where do we come from? who, if anyone, made us? — and kinda-sorta answers them. But if the movie is really about anything, it's atmosphere. Director Ridley Scott, returning to science fiction after having made two of the genre's classics (*Alien* and *Blade Runner*), brings a pleasant big-movie heft to the visuals, an almost cruel burnish only possible with lots of money and teams of well-paid techs. The look is handsomely antiseptic, much like the character David (Michael Fassbender), an android aboard the titular spaceship *Prometheus*. Passing the time (two years) waiting for the crew to wake up, David becomes enamored of *Lawrence of Arabia*, coloring his hair to emulate Peter O'Toole. It's heartening, I guess, that in 2093 we will not only still exist but also remember 20th-century art; another character, the captain (Idris Elba), plays an accordion once owned by Stephen Stills.

These hints of personality and leisure have to last us a while, because most of *Prometheus* is about delving into — as mission director Vickers (Charlize Theron) puts it — “a god-forsaken rock in the middle of space.” Our intrepid crew of scientists seek evidence of “the Engineers,” aliens worshipped by various unconnected ancient cultures. The Engineers, we're to understand, created us. But why? For that, I think, you're supposed to come back for *Prometheus 2* and *3*; this film is reportedly the first of a projected trilogy, though whether it'll make enough bank to justify sequels is a more urgent question than any the movie asks. The maybe-part-one-if-enough-of-you-see-it aspect may explain why Guy Pearce appears underneath pounds of old-man latex as Peter Weyland, who funds the mission. I'm assuming the grand plan is to have the unlatexed Pearce return in a sequel or prequel as a younger Weyland; otherwise why didn't they just hire an older actor?

The heart of *Prometheus* is the believer Dr. Elizabeth Shaw (Noomi Rapace), whose entire career seems to hinge on proof of, well, intelligent design. I'm not quite up on what Richard Dawkins might say about this; whether we were created by a white-bearded Christian god or by strange-looking aliens gargling goo at the dawn of man, the point the film takes for granted is that we *were* created. Someone in the film snarks about two hundred years of Darwinism being chucked out



the nearest air lock, but that's about all the skepticism we hear among this cadre of scientists. Anyway, the impassioned Noomi Rapace is much the best thing about the movie; as in *The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo* and its sequels, she moves on an angular, headlong trajectory, and Shaw is about the only character visibly capable of horror and awe, sometimes both at once. (Charlize Theron, meanwhile, plays her second ice queen in as many weeks, and seemed to have more fun last week.)

Logic will not avail us here. Forget whether it's plausible that a species of unpleasant baldies manufactured us for reasons as yet known only to them; what about the scene in which a character takes a series of running leaps when her abdomen was lasered open and then stapled shut only hours before? Not to mention the sequence in which two crew members, deep inside the womb of the godforsaken rock, suddenly decide to head back to the ship, then promptly get lost. They only exist, we gather, as alien fodder. Yes, here be dragons, or at least phallic slimy things and a big beastie worthy of Lovecraft at his most febrile. For weeks now, the marketing for *Prometheus* couldn't figure out whether to sell it as a prequel to *Alien* or as a stand-alone scientists-meet-monsters epic. It is, if you must, a story that takes place in the same reality as *Alien*, and the final shot, much derided by *Alien* fans, strengthens the link. If you want to rewatch *Alien* and not think of the mysterious “space jockey” as what you pray to on Sunday, you might want to steer clear of *Prometheus*.

The movie wasn't giving my brain much of a workout, but my eyes got a nice buzz. *Prometheus* is straight-up gorgeous, especially in 3D; Scott has conceived the shots for the added dimension, employing it with subtlety and for the occasional matter-of-fact spectacle. If the ads have intrigued you visually, go. Just be prepared for a plot that reminds me of various reviewers over the years admitting “I'm not sure whether this movie/book just rips off some *Star Trek* episode I never saw.” It's an atmospheric thrill ride, though short on thrills until near the end, and certainly neither as intense nor as tight as *Alien*. It's best perceived as an experiment by a director returning to the franchise he created, not by making a direct sequel but by drifting off to tell a related story. On the evidence, though, Scott can't scare us any more, and his characters recede into the vast canvas of his own intelligent design. We can't really care about who made us if most of the people onscreen aren't us.

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Plumb Library June Programs

• **Café Parlez'** selection for June is "The Three Junes", by Julia Glass, winner of the National Book Award. If this book were a triptych, you'd have the first section, where Paul, a Scottish widower on vacation in Greece, reminisces about his life, marriage, three sons, and the death of his wife. The middle - a larger section - would be about Paul's oldest son, Fenno, a gay expat who runs a bookstore in Greenwich Village. He befriends Malachy, who is dying from AIDS, and has an unexpected dalliance with photographer Tony. The third section would be about Fern, an American who met Paul in Greece, and whose vacation with Tony is interrupted by Fenno and one of his brothers. Taking place in June of 1989, 1991, and 1999, this book is about life, death, and the importance of family. We will be discussing "The Three Junes" on **Thursday, June 28** at 6:30 pm. Books are available at the desk, or bring your own copy. Café Parlez' is sponsored by the Friends of Plumb Library.

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Above: On Saturday June 9, members of ORRHS Class of 2012 graduated beneath blue skies on the high school's football field in front of a crowd of proud families, friends, faculty and staff. Photo by Katy Fitzpatrick.



Left: Team Loud & Clear at the TriTown Relay for Life held on June 8 & 9. From left to right; Olivia Darmofal 5, Kailee Rodrigues 9, Ava Bissonete 6, Gage Darmofal 7, Kaitlyn Rodrigues 3, Carllee Bisoonette 4, Emerson Gonet 5, Maurine Rodrigues and Kamryn Rodrigues 6. Photo by Felix Perez



Darian Brooks of Marion gets his face painted at this years Relay for Life at ORR. Photos by Felix Perez

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- **June 30, 11:00 am:** Pumpernickel Puppets presents "Sir George the Dragon", at the library. Sponsored by the Rochester Cultural Council
- **Tweens/Teens** ages 10-16 can register for "Own the Night". Adults ages 17 and up can register for "Between the Covers". In both programs, logging reading hours can earn raffle tickets. Weekly drawings will take place starting **June 18**.

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Right: Some Mattapoissett children celebrate Letterboxing at the Mattapoissett Free Public Library. This party was to celebrate a year-long Letterbox search in the library, organized monthly by Jeanne McCullough, to educate children and families on the fun of Letterboxing. For more information on Letterboxing, please visit www.letterboxing.org. (Pictured l to r: Cameron Weaver, Caitlin Collier, Meghan McCullough, Danya Bichsel & Kyle McCullough)

Below: The Marion Natural History museum after school program learned about what makes a healthy watershed and then tried their hand at designing their own. Photo by Elizabeth Liedhold



Above: The newest exhibit at the Marion Art Center includes David Edgar, Recycled Plastics Sculptor and Stan Godwin, Photographer. The exhibit runs through July 18th. Photo by Paul Lopes

Left: On Thursday, June 7, Shining Tides Preschool celebrated the graduation of its most recent class. From left: Abigail Walsh, Karen Dondyk, Ava Brodeur, Will Wilksten, Drew Castro, Ava Brogioll, Owen Deree and Jack Quintin. Photo by Deb Burdock.

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Join us for our "Kick-off" event: Alex-the-Jester on **Monday, June 25** at 2:00 pm. Young audiences will enjoy mystifying magic, juggling, colorful costumes and comedy. Performance will be held at the Music Hall (corner of Front and Cottage Streets). This performance is made possible in part by the Marion Cultural Council.

•Lunch Bunch I begins **Tuesday, June 26** at 12:30 pm at the Elizabeth Taber Library. Children ages 7-10 can bring lunch and a drink (we supply dessert) and listen as we begin reading aloud. Contact the library to join this group.

•Summer Story Time begins **Wednesday, June 27** at 10:30 am for 2-4 year olds (accompanied by enthusiastic adult companions). Sign up today and enjoy the fun!

•Lunch Bunch II begins **Thursday, June 28** at 12:30 pm. Children ages 5-7 can bring lunch and a drink (we supply dessert), and listen to a book being read aloud. Contact the library to join this group.

•Drop-in Activity Days are every Friday and Saturday during the summer program at the Elizabeth Taber Library. Instructions and materials are available in the Children's Room during regular library hours.

•Reading Activities: Play the "Camp Out at the Library" Reading Game! Independent readers going into grades 2-7 and/or family groups of all ages can read together for fun, prizes and a good cause.

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•Make a Teddy Bear Sleeping Bag! **Wednesday, June 27** at 2:00 pm Get ready for a Teddy Bear Camp-out at the Library! Bring your stuffed animal and we'll help you make their very own sleeping bag for a camp out at the library.

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97 Wise guy?
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99 Like Hawaiian shirts
100 Wails
102 Vicar's assistant
103 Bend
105 Saucy
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108 Beastly place?
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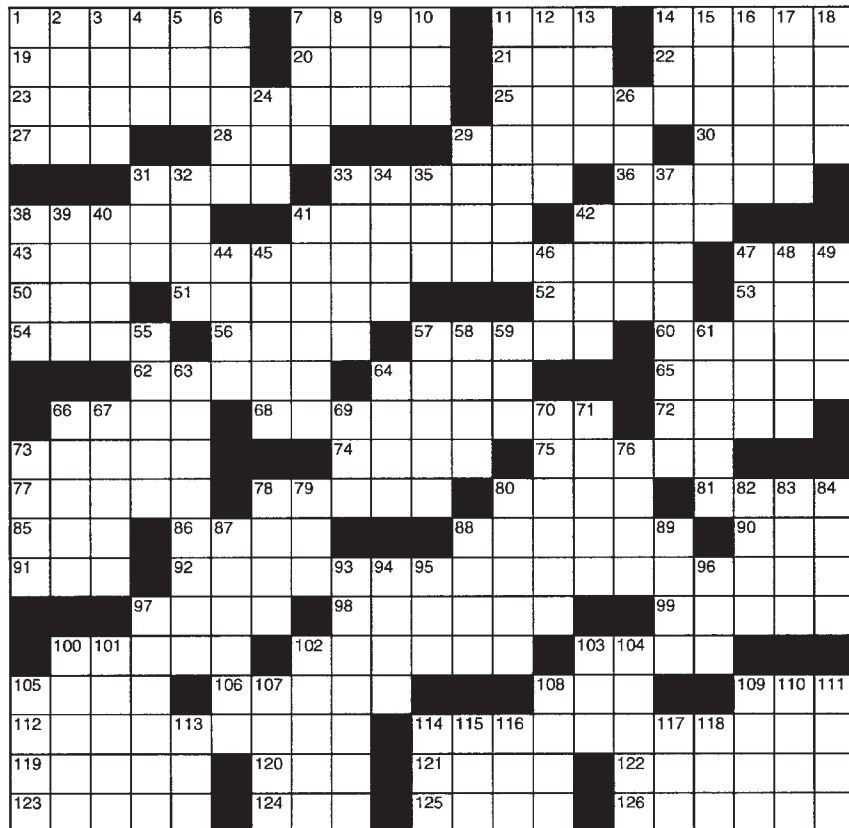
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SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) A recent spate of confusion regarding decision-making begins to clear up. But caution is still advised. Continue to check details. An old friend has important news.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) You're anxious to see your ideas move from concept to development. But trying to force the issue right now could backfire. Wait for movement to resume on the 11th.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Keep your thoughts focused on the positive as you deal with an unexpected turn of events in a personal or professional relationship. This could be the start of a welcome change.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Health matters take on added importance at this time. Deal with them before they interfere with your summer plans. A relationship that cooled off could soon warm up again.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) While a few details involving upcoming decisions still need your attention, you fun-loving Felines can begin to spend more time enjoying your lively social life again.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) That long-sought-after career change could require you to move to another city. Weigh your decision carefully before either accepting or rejecting the offer out of hand.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) A workplace situation can be awkward for Librans who prefer to keep their problems private. But you might have to "tell-all" if you hope to see it resolved in your favor.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Although your financial situation starts to improve this week, you still need to be cautious about money matters. Avoid major obligations, for now.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Your overall aspects continue to brighten, allowing you to tackle long-deferred challenges. A change in travel plans could work to your benefit.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Things seem to be slowing down for the usually restless Sea Goat. But wouldn't a bit of respite be just what you need right now? Activity picks up by June 17.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Personal relationships take a positive turn for both married and single Aquarians. Professional commitments, however, could be complicated by newly emerging events.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A decision you thought was final might be reopened as new facts are discovered. This could lead to a short-term problem, but might ultimately prove beneficial.

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•Make a "Sit-Up" for Campfire Fun!

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Marion Village 5K

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William T. Nicholson, Superintendent 5/03 - 6/14

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Richard D. Cutler, Chairman 6/7, 6/14

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**TOWN OF MARION
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
LEGAL NOTICE**

The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, June 27, 2012 at 7:10 PM in the Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, on a Request for Determination of Applicability #41D-1482 submitted by A. Neil Pappalardo to construct a 7' x 11' garden shed and a 2,400 sq. ft. paved basketball court at 90 Moorings Road, shown as Lot 14 on Marion Assessors' Map 20. Plans are available at the Town House for review.

Sherman E. Briggs, Jr., Chairman 6/14

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CONSERVATION COMMISSION
LEGAL NOTICE**

The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, June 27, 2012 at 7:00 PM in the Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, on a Request for Determination of Applicability #41D-1483 submitted by The Marion Recreation Department to improve the dirt Washburn Park Road surface by adding a layer of road scrapings. Work will take place from Derby Lane to 68 Washburn Park Road as shown on Marion Assessors' Map 11. Plans are available at the Town House for review.

Sherman E. Briggs, Jr., Chairman 6/14

**TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
PUBLIC HEARING**

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, June 25, 2012 at 6:30 p.m. in the Mattapoisett Town Hall on a Request for Determination of Applicability submitted by William A. Durbin, Jr. & Kirsten D. Durbin.

The Applicants propose to raze the existing non-conforming accessory workshop building for the purposes of constructing a new workshop in compliance with zoning setbacks and FEMA and Mas Building Code requirements for construction in an AE Flood Zone. The project will also include the construction of a crushed stone driveway for off-street parking and minor filling

LEGAL NOTICES

and grading.

All of the proposed work will be performed within Land Subject to Coastal Storm Flowage, Flood Zone AE and a portion of the work will be performed within the 100 ft. Buffer Zone of the Top of a Coastal Bank.

The project is located at 21 Bay Road at Point Connett and is further identified as Lot #49 on Mattapoisett Assessors Map #2A. 6/14

**TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
PUBLIC HEARING**

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, June 25, 2012 at 6:30 p.m. in the Mattapoisett Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by John Dennis Gibbons Associates, Inc.

The applicant proposes to perform annual maintenance to the coastal beach, gravel access driveway, parking area and the existing concrete patio and shed.

The beach maintenance consists of re-grading the existing beach material above the mean high water line. The patio maintenance consists of repairing concrete cracks. The driveway and parking area work will consist of filling in pot-holes to maintain the existing grades.

Work will be performed on a Coastal Beach and within the 100 ft. Buffer Zone of additional Coastal Resource Areas and within Land Subject to Coastal Storm Flowage, Flood Zone.

The project is located at off Main Street, is identified as Lot #61 on Mattapoisett Assessors Map #10 and is known as "The Sands". 6/14

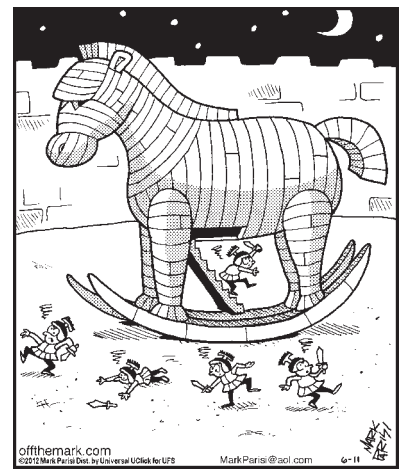
**TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
PUBLIC HEARING - REQUEST FOR DETERMINATION OF APPLICABILITY**

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, June 25, 2012, at 6:30 p.m. in the Mattapoisett Town Hall on the Request for Determination of Applicability submitted by Christine Bertram for 124 Acushnet Road, Mattapoisett, MA as shown on Assessor's Map 22 Lot 13. The applicant proposes to replace the existing failed septic system servicing the existing single family dwelling within the buffer zone to a bordering vegetated wetland. 6/14

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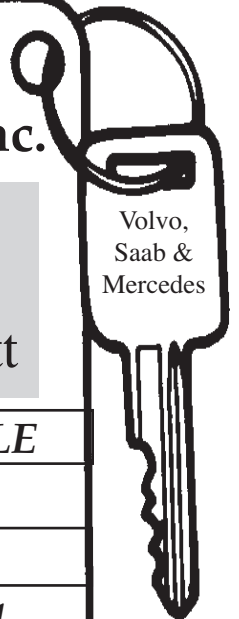
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• **ArtStart Program** - Applications are now being accepted for ARTSTART, the Marion Art Center's summer program for children ages 4 ½ to 9 years. Founded in 1985, ARTSTART meets Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings from 9:00 am until 12:00 pm. The activities include Arts and Crafts, Theater, Music, Stories and Dance. Children are grouped by age and participate in all three activities every day. MAC provides snack. There are three two-week sessions beginning **Tuesday, June 26**. Each session has a unique theme, and there is an informal production at the end of each two weeks where the children act, create costumes, sets and help write the plays.

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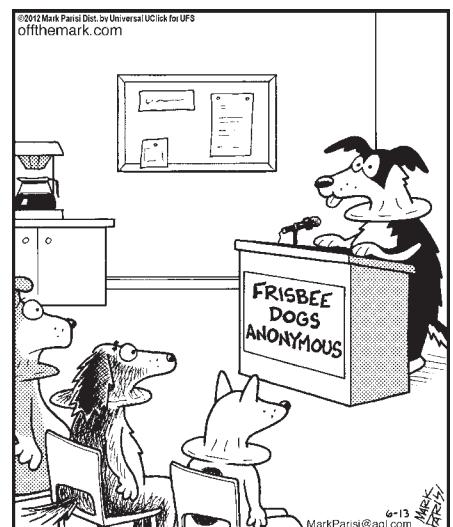
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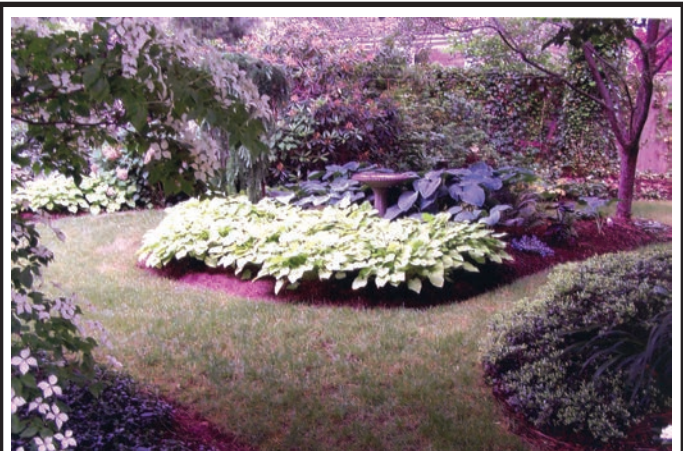
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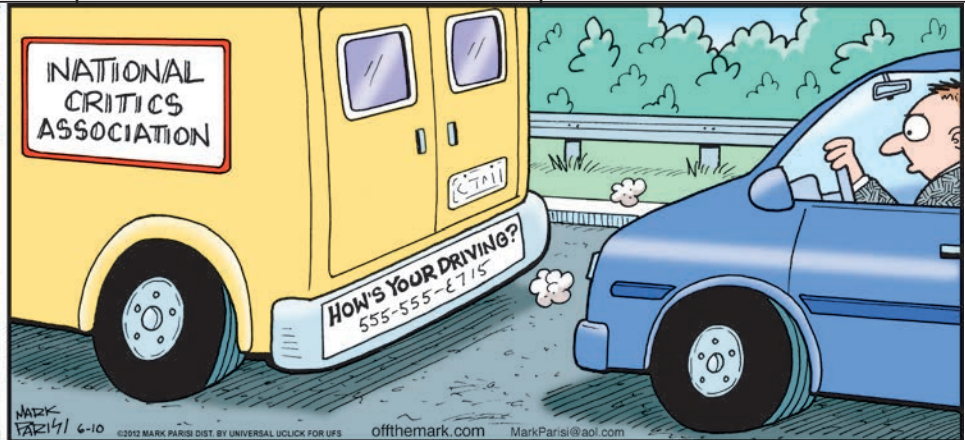
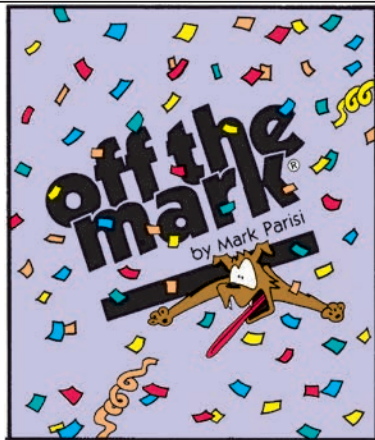
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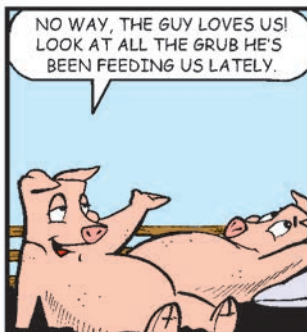
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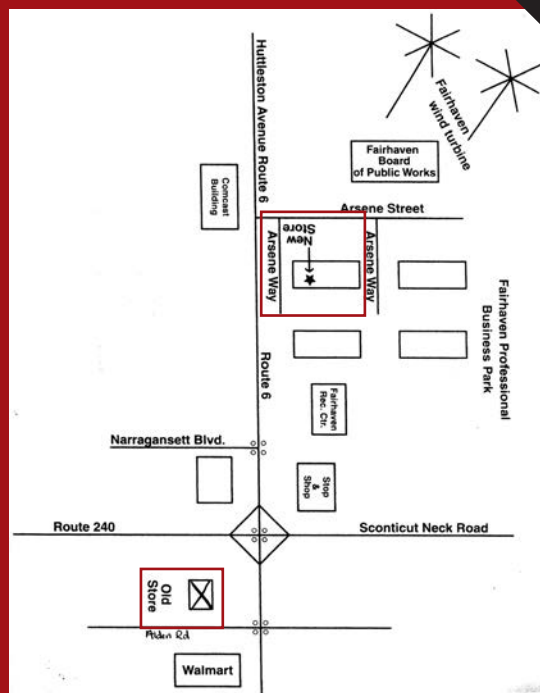
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PET PICK



Each week we will showcase pets from the TriTown and the stories behind them. Send in your pet pictures and stories so we can share them with all our readers.

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Say hello to Scout...a 12 year old German Shepherd who enjoys passing the day as his family's loyal companion. Adopted at a young age through a classified ad placed in this paper, he has enjoyed living close to the water. In his youthful days, some of his favorite activities included walks through the town, dog paddling in the ocean, jumping into the bed of the truck for a ride to anywhere, and racing to retrieve a thrown ball. If this last activity began with a ride in the truck, Scout would let you know when the game was over by not returning the ball but instead sprinting back to the bed of the truck. Today Scout spends much of his time on more leisurely strolls and lounging on his orthopedic bed. And not a day goes by when he does not appear in the kitchen during food preparation time in hopes of receiving his favorite snack - carrots!

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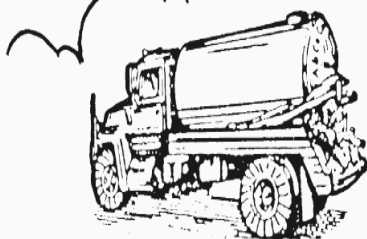
The program is focused on a journey of discovery of local history and life in historic Marion. Open to children entering grades 3 - 5, it will engage history explorers in research activities that include hands-on access to historical objects and artifacts, crafts, games, and visits to nearby historic places. The six-day program will be limited to 30 children, and a participation/materials fee of \$120 per child will apply. For more information or an application, please email info@sippicanhistoricalsociety.org or call 508-748-1116.

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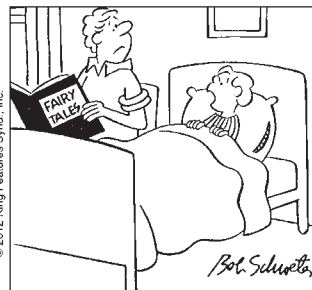
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The first session is for boys and will be held from **Monday July 16 to Thursday July 19**. Boys presently in grades 4, 5, and 6 (school year 2011 - 12) will attend from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. Boys presently in grades 7, 8, and 9 (school year 2011 -12) will attend from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm.

The second session is a combination of girls and boys in the morning session and all girls in the afternoon session. It will be held from **Monday July 23 to Thursday July 26**. Girls and boys presently in grades 4, 5 and 6 (school year 2011 - 12) will attend from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. Girls (only) presently in grades 7, 8 and 9 (school year 2011-12) will attend from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm.

The camp focuses on the fundamentals and development of shooting, passing, dribbling, ball handling, rebounding, post play, as well as individual and team defense. The camp counselors who assist Coach Regan will be former and current players from Old Rochester as well as other local area coaches.

Registration forms were recently distributed to the local schools but can also be obtained through Coach Regan's camp website - <http://web.me.com/rick.regan> or <http://schools.orr.mec.edu/jhs/regan>. The cost of the camp is \$120 per session. Space is available in all sessions at this time, but we are limited to 30 per session and the spots will fill quickly especially in the boys sessions. Please send in your registration form and payment as soon as possible. For more information or

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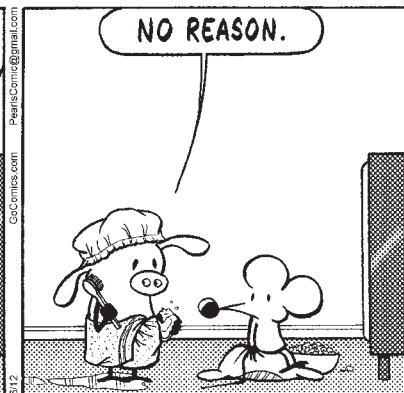
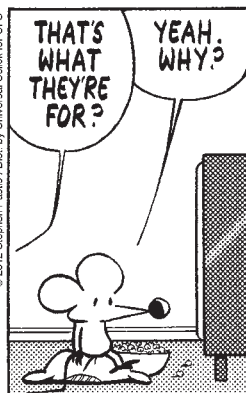
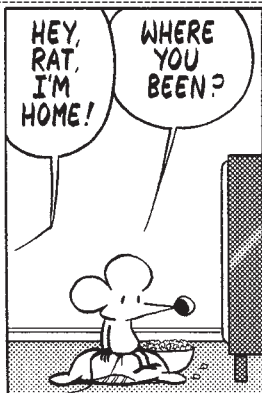
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For those interested in visiting fair, it will offer many unique old-fashioned events for the entire family. You will need to come prepared if you wish to participate though. Children must bring their own frog to compete in the Frog Derby Race and their own bike for the Bicycle Relay. Other children's events will include Pedal Tractor Pulls, Running with Scissors Race, Pie Eating contest and Lawn Mower Race, just to name a few. Admission to the Fair will be as follows, Thursday - \$4, and \$5 on Friday thru Sunday. Children ages five and under are free. Parking is also free.

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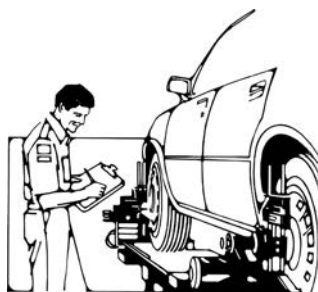
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A cherished Marion tradition, this year's event will feature a classic car show, rock climbing wall, bubble bounce, dunk tank, music and more. Seasonal menu items and beverages are planned. Admission is free.

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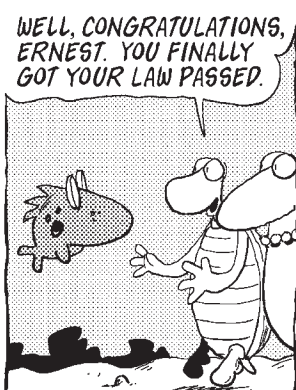
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thermal imaging equipment for the Fire Dept. while Marion Recreation plans to purchase playground equipment for Washburn Park.

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Please plan to attend with your friends and family to help make this community event a success.

For further information, or to make a donation, please contact: Steve Gonsalves at 508-264-5852; Chris Berg 508-776-1615 or Jody Dickerson 774-217-8355. You may also send a check to: Friends of Marion Recreation, PO Box 759, Marion, MA 02738.

ORR Summer SAIL Program

The Old Rochester Regional School District is pleased to offer its summer enrichment program for 2012. The goal of the program, which serves Pre-K to eighth grade students from the Tri-Town as well as from neighboring communities, is to increase student learning in a fun and positive way. Each summer session will run for 3 weeks. Session A will run from July 10 –July 26, and Session B will run from July 31 to August 16. The program

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The SAIL program will be held at the ORR Jr./Sr. High School campus. The 28 SAIL courses will incorporate strategies such as problem solving, critical thinking, writing, reading, numeracy and collaboration with peers. For more information and registration, visit the Old Rochester Regional website www.orr.mec.edu or contact the program co-directors: Holly Ashley (hashley@orr.mec.edu) or Charles West (cwest@orr.mec.edu).

ORR Tennis Camp

The 10th Annual ORR Tennis Camp will again be held at the Old Rochester Regional Tennis Complex. The camp is under the direction of ORR coach and USPTR instructor Bob Hohne and staffed by former and current players, and will place emphasis on stroke fundamentals, game concepts and proper court behavior. Two sessions will be held **June 25-29** and **July 30-August 3**.

Class One will be for players 7-11 and Class Two will be for players 12-18. Players will grouped according to skill levels in a small group setting. The cost of the session is \$96. For more information and camp applications, contact Bob Hohne at 508-758-9081 or rhohne@orr.mec.edu.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

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Gratton, J D Gratton, Patricia	Burr Helen L Est Popov, Patricia D	25 Main St #2	Marion	05/25/2012	394875
FNMA x	Sylvia, Frank G Nationstar Mortgage LLC	913 Point Rd	Marion	05/23/2012	212409
Garstang, Susan S x	Loveland, Kyle M	13 Pumping Station Rd	Marion	05/24/2012	257000
Maul, Meghan E x	Goulart, Richard M	73 Acushnet Rd	Mattapoisett	05/23/2012	237500
Johnson, S G Johnson, Connie A	Risgin, Joseph E Risgin, Julie	52 County Rd #26	Mattapoisett	05/24/2012	299900
Hasbrouck, Emerson G Hasbrouck, Sarah A	Adams, Clayton W Adams, Susan S	541 New Bedford Rd	Rochester	05/23/2012	450000

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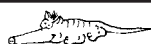
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Local Tides

Date	Day	High		Low	
		a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
June 14:	Thurs.	4:51	5:21	10:09	11:40
June 15:	Fri.	5:45	6:10	10:53	...
June 16:	Sat.	6:33	6:54	12:09 & 11:27	...
June 17:	Sun.	7:16	7:33	12:55	12:21
June 18:	Mon.	7:56	8:09	1:36	1:05
June 19:	Tues.	8:35	8:45	2:17	1:49
June 20:	Wed.	9:14	9:22	2:57	2:32
June 21:	Thurs.	9:55	10:01	3:34	3:14
June 22:	Fri.	10:37	10:43	4:07	3:55
June 23:	Sat.	11:21	11:28	4:39	4:37
June 24:	Sun.	...	12:08	5:13	5:22
June 25:	Mon.	12:17	12:56	5:51	6:14
June 26:	Tues.	1:08	1:47	6:37	7:17
June 27:	Wed.	2:02	2:42	7:32	8:33
June 28:	Thurs.	3:01	3:41	8:35	9:53
June 29:	Fri.	4:04	4:45	9:40	11:01
June 30:	Sat.	5:10	5:48	10:41	...
July 1:	Sun.	6:13	6:47	12:01	12:02

Phases of the Moon	New Moon	June 19th
	First Quarter	June 27th
	Full Moon	July 3rd
	Last Quarter	July 11th



I Found the Aardvark!

Each week, hidden somewhere in the pages of *The Wanderer* is a tiny drawing of an aardvark. The little guy you are looking for looks exactly like the one pictured above (but don't put down this page as your answer, there's another one hidden somewhere in this issue).

Once you find the aardvark you can submit your answer online and if you are right you will get Aardvark Points! You can then use these points to get cool Aardvark Prizes! Each time you find the Aardvark you will also be entered in our monthly drawing for other cool Aardvark Prizes. If you would like to enter the monthly drawing by mail, send your name, address and phone number along with the issue date and page number you found him in to: Wanderer - I Found the Aardvark, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. Entries by mail will not be eligible for Aardvark Points.

To enter visit: www.wanderer.com and Click on *I Found the Aardvark*
In the June 7, 2012 issue the Aardvark was on page 31!

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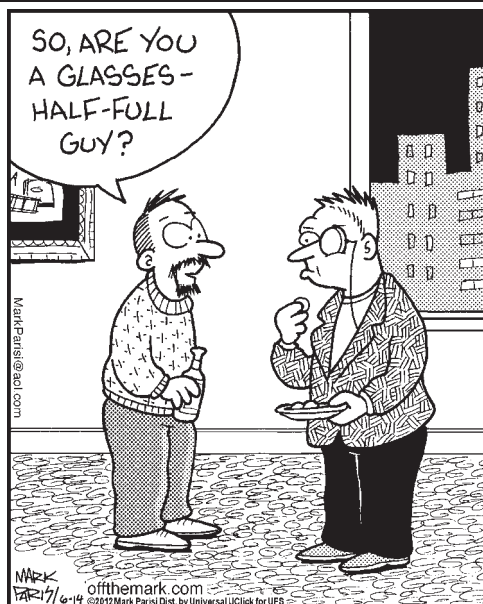
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8	5	4	3	1	2	9	7	6
4	2	3	5	7	9	6	8	1
5	8	6	2	3	1	7	4	9
1	7	9	8	6	4	3	2	5
2	3	8	4	9	5	1	6	7
9	6	1	7	2	3	4	5	8
7	4	5	1	8	6	2	9	3

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